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Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

English Language Declaration

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Method for Detecting a Target Molecule in a Sample Using a Nucleic Acid Ligand

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Application Number 08/469,609

and was amended on 06/06/95, 11/01/96, 12/03/96, 06/02/97, 06/25/97, 12/19/97, 03/27/98

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Not Claimed

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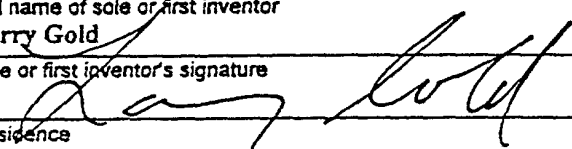
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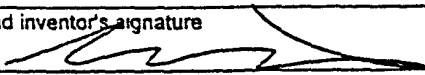
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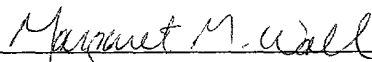
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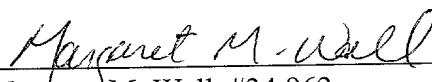
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